

Cathedral School Should Shine on Track--Climbers Will Play in Cincinnati on March 30

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL TRACK TEAM OUT AFTER HOLIDAYS

Good Prospects in Store for Successful Season in Athletics.

PROPOSE MEET ON SATTERLEE FIELD

Great Things Expected This Year From Davidson and McLemore.

A call for track candidates at the National Cathedral School for Boys will be issued shortly after the Christmas holidays, according to George Green, director of athletics at the school. Many of the boys are now engaged in basketball, and as the material on hand is not up to the standard of former years, the available players are divided around in basketball, track, and baseball.

Several new men will be worked out early in preparation for the winter meets, and from indications the team will be well rounded out. Among the weight men Davidson, last year's veteran, should star, as should McLemore. Davidson was a tower of strength in the football team, and is expected to claim among the best of the schoolboy weight lifters.

For track Chet Lockwood will endeavor to take his brother's place. The elder Lockwood was last year accounted one of the star 400-yard men in the District, and the best man at Cathedral since "Stuffy" Crane. With Lockwood, Walter White is expected to come forward in the distances. Holliday, Sternberg, Cromwell, and Sheel are also in line for sprinters' jobs.

Harris, one of the speediest boys in the school and one of the best of the football men last fall, is expected to make good at track as is Rnell. With the new men who are to be heard from, Coach Green expects to have a fairly well balanced track team.

It is not unlikely that the school will meet this spring. The project has been talked over at the school, and no definite conclusion has been reached, it is thought that effort will be put forth to hold a track meet which shall be an annual affair.

Pennsylvania Students Pick All-America Elevens

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 7.—The Pennsylvania students' daily paper, the University City Record, has picked three All-America teams for this season. Three Penn players have been given positions on the teams, Capt. Roy Mercer, of the Quakers, being placed at fullback on the first eleven, and Simpson at center, and Wilson at tackle on the third team.

The personnel of the eleven follows: First team—Bonsieiler, Yale, and Verry, Penn State, ends; DeVore, Army, and Borer, Harvard, ends; Stank, Princeton, and Brown, Navy, guards; Ketcham, Yale, center; Miller, Penn State, quarterback; Baker, Princeton, and Thorpe, Carlisle, halfbacks; Mercer, Penn, fullback.

Second team—Fulton, Harvard, and Ashbaugh, Brown, ends; Phillips, Princeton, and Engelhorn, Dartmouth, tackles; Bunker, Penn State, and Cornish, Cornell, guards; Blumenthal, Princeton, center; Passetti, Lehigh, quarterback; Ketcham, Harvard, halfbacks; Wendell, Harvard, fullback.

Third team—Erickson, Cornell, and Gilchrist, Navy, ends; Wagonhurst, Lafayette, and Wilson, Penn, tackles; Penick, Harvard, ends; Stank, Princeton, guards; Simpson, Penn, center; Crowther, Brown, quarterback; Crow, Michigan, and O'Connor, Cornell, halfbacks; Powell, Carlisle, fullback.

Rivers Declines Offer To Meet Phil Brock

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Joe Rivers, Mexican aspirant for the lightweight championship, turned down an offer of \$1,500 to fight here as a "patry sum."

In a telegram to Promoter Joe Hinkle, Joe Rivers, today demands \$10,000 for a twelve-round bout here with Phil Brock.

Barring champion Ritchie and Jack Britton, Rivers is said to be the best legitimate lightweight. His price has increased since a year ago, when he abandoned the feathers to go into the lightweight division, and he will accept \$1,500 any place for a ten-round go.

Loses Control of Cycle in Motor Race

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Charlie Stein is nursing sundry bruises and bumps today as a result of his spill last night in the motorcycle race with Jimmy Hunter at Madison Square Garden.

Stein lost control of his motor on the second mile, and after racing wildly for more than 100 feet crashed into one of the uprights at a turn. He was down the moment he struck the machine and he struck the post 274 times, the machine crumpled up as it hit him.

Ten Thoroughbreds Leave for Abroad

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Ten American thoroughbred horses left today on the steamship Minnewaska of the Atlantic transport line for their voyage to England and later to France. In the lot are the stallions Peter Pan and Ort Wells, and the brood mares Musketeer, Court Drive, Meg's Hill, Early and Offen, Mosquito, Pope Joan, Stepping Stone, and Ocean Bound.

APPROACH OF CHRISTMAS GIVES THE BOSS A TROUBLED SLEEP - By Goldberg



BASEBALL IS SURE TO BE PROFITABLE TO ONE T. RAYMOND COBB

Earns \$39.65 Every Time He Hit in Season of 1912.

Every time Ty Cobb made a base hit during the season of 1912 he earned \$39.65. In 1910 he was paid at the rate of \$45.00 per safety, while in 1911 he made \$39.25 per at-bat, fielding and also running not being considered in figuring his compensation. Does it pay to play baseball? Ty Cobb has been drawing a salary of \$9,000 for his services each of the last three years.

Now Ty's contract is run out and he wants another calling for \$6,000 more, and probably will get it, as without him the Tigers would draw very small crowds.

In the last three years Ty has made 212 hits, while his salary for the same length of time was \$27,000. If Cobb were getting paid for making hits alone, he would have been making more than \$40 for each safety, which some payment for swinging a bat and hitting the ball "where they ain't."

1910 Profitable Year. If Cobb had his most profitable year so far would have been 1910. In that season he made 198 hits at a salary of \$9,000, which would have given him \$45.92 for each single. That's a whole lot more than the average workman receives for a week's hard labor, so it can be seen at a glance that it pays to be the best ball player living.

In 1911 Ty made 248 bingles for which he received an average of \$35.29 each. This was his poorest year, when the amount of stipend is taken into consideration, but at that it is a very nice little sum, for each hit in the campaign he gathered in \$35.65. All in all, he received for each bingle in the last three seasons the sum of \$40.25 each.

The demon Tiger outfielder started his professional baseball career in 1904, when he played the start of the season for the Amherst, Ga., team and swatted 376. He then went to Augusta, where he played until the end of 1905, when he went to the Tigers, and with which team he had done some wonderful work with.

Battled Well at First. He battled 291 his first year in the majors and then just kept getting better all the time. His best year with the bat was in 1911, when he led the league with 420. Last season he hit 410 and also topped the batters in the John Johnson batting average. The demon Tiger has led the league in hitting the last six years straight. His grand average since he has been playing baseball is .361.

He has been playing baseball since 1904, when he started playing professional baseball.

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Y. M. C. A. Will Hold Elections Next Week

Members of the Washington Y. M. C. A. track team are looking forward to next week, when the election of officers is scheduled. The track squad will be called out next Tuesday night when regular training will be started.

Members of the association track team are awaiting the decision of the Washington A. A. as to its withdrawal from the A. A. and its entry in the District Federation.

Crocker and Kellogg To Meet in Finals

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 7.—The final in the annual autumn golf tournament will be played today in the eighth renewal of the event. Musketeer, C. C., and J. E. Kellogg, of the Alpin Golf Club, of Massachusetts, are the competing golfers.

GRIFF'S TEAM WILL PLAY CINCINNATI

Griffith Promises Herrmann That Walter Johnson May Pitch If He Feels Like Going Three Rounds.

By "SENATOR."

Clark Griffith's Climbers will play the Cincinnati Reds in Redland on March 30 and, if he is feeling like a three-round spin, Walter Johnson, king of them all, will adorn the mound for awhile. Griffith would like nothing better than to hang a defeat on the Reds, his old team in the National League, and he is more than willing to make the jump over night to Cincinnati.

In booking this game Griffith has practically promised Garry Herrmann to use Walter Johnson. Every fan in Cincinnati wants to see the great speed merchant in action, even if it does mean defeat for the home team. The Redland rooters are pretty well used to defeat, anyway. Of course, if the weather is bad or Johnson is not in good enough shape to work, he will adorn the bench, but will be seen, at least.

Yes, we'll go to Cincinnati for a game," Griffith told the writer today. "We can leave at 6:30 in the evening and arrive there at 9 o'clock in the morning. Just a nice run, that's all. I'd travel farther if I could trim the Reds at the end of the journey."

Nine Games Booked. Arranging to go to Cincinnati puts the ninth exhibition game on the spring schedule of the Climbers. Two weeks will be spent in exhibition games before the regular campaign begins. It is expected that the American League season will find the Climbers at home in their first clash, probably with the Highlanders. However, there is a chance that the world's champion Red Sox will be the first club to favor the Climbers in the Capital City.

This would mean the S. R. U. sign at Florida avenue on April 10.

Cathedral Five Wins First Game of Season

Members of the basketball team of the National Cathedral School for Boys are receiving all sorts of congratulations today for having won the first game in the interscholastic basketball league. Business High School was met and defeated at the Boys' Department Y. M. C. A. yesterday by a score of 18 to 12.

The game itself was not what might be called either fast or productive of the best basketball that has been seen as both teams were of color in the matter of caging baskets and maintaining a fast pace. Lack of condition told on the members of both teams, and yet the contest was close enough to keep the interest high all times.

At the close of the first half Cathedral led by one point, the score being 6 to 5. Both teams got down to work after Davidson, the Cathedral center, drew blood with a clever basket, and from that point Cathedral went after the Highlanders. Davidson, Schell, and Harris played well, while Boornstein, Wilson, and Struble starred for Business. Cathedral is now leading the league, having won the first game.

Washington and Cathedral meet next Friday afternoon in the second of the series. Gordon Law, physical director of the Boys' Department, through whose courtesy the gymnasium was offered, refereed the contest.

Fred Clarke Wants Bresnahan to Play

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Fred Clarke, manager of the Pittsburgh club, arrived here this morning from his home in Winfield, Kan., to see Roger Bresnahan, recently retired from management of the St. Louis club. Clarke is anxious to secure Bresnahan for his club.

He will leave tonight for Pittsburgh, where he will stay a few days before going to New York for the National League meeting.

Want Games. The Columbia A. C. basketball team, averaging 10 points, desires to arrange games with teams in the city.

Its manager, Charles A. Steele, 911 B street northwest, will receive challenges.

BOB THAYER'S Sporting Gossip

"Every Knock Is a Lost"

Yale vs. Penn.

It will seem like the ancient days if Penn succeeds in scheduling football games with Yale. Not since 1903 has the Red and Blue met Yale on the gridiron. Not since '94 has Penn battled Princeton, while Harvard severed relations with the Quakers following the 1905 game. Penn belongs in the East, and I am pleased to see her attempt to book games with Yale.

Rules are wrong.

Rules regarding the granting of letters are radically wrong when they fail to allow a captain an honorary letter. Also, when a star player is injured early in the season, and finally gets into the championship game, winning it practically alone, he should receive some reward.

Crawford in Chicago.

Jimmy Callahan is reported to be seeking Sam Crawford for his White Sox. The slugger Tiger would fit into the Sox outfield without doubt, but when the rumor says that he may play first base—well, that's different. The chances are, however, that Crawford will not go to Chicago, except for a good pitcher, and where is Callahan going to find one? He's looking for pitchers himself.

Bombardier once more.

Bombardier Wells, England's heavy-weight boxer, is once more in the limelight, knocking out some third-raters from South Africa. Now he'll prepare for his second invasion of the United States, demanding unheard of sums for exhibiting his prowess. We have at least half a dozen heavies in this country who can defeat Wells any old time.

Fair day for race.

The runners in the cross-country race at Baltimore are going to have good weather after, and the race should furnish a number of stirring struggles. Some dark horse may come to the front and out Johnny Gallagher, who is picked by all to romp off with the prize. Baltimore is entering a number of good men, who cannot be overlooked.

Teams in poor shape.

Both Cathedral and Business were in poor physical shape in the first of the interscholastic basketball series at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday, and it was surprising to note that practically every player on both teams was a better player in the second game. Certain it is that both aggregations are capable of putting up a better game.

C. U. meets Gallaudet.

Fred Price, who is coaching the Catholic University basketball team, is Catholic University basketball team, is expected to land tonight's game with Gallaudet. Catholic University is yet to be heard from in basketball and while there are a few players of experience many of the candidates are green men. Rice is a player of ability, having the same and should succeed in getting together a good team.

Previous to the big game, the Spartans and Nationals will try conclusions for the 16-point championship of the District. The game is scheduled to start promptly at 8 o'clock.

Wells Would Come. LONDON, Dec. 7.—Bombardier Wells, who knocked out George Redel, champion heavyweight of South Africa, last night at the National Sporting Club, is now planning to meet the United States, offering to meet the best men in America. He believes that once defeated, he can defeat Al. Fisher, who won from him in New York last summer.

Maryland Loses. NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Columbia defeated University of Maryland at basketball tonight, 45 to 4.

BROKEN NOSE CAN NOT STOP "TINY"

Bob Maxwell Gets Into Fray Two Days After He Leaves Hospital, Where He Was Operated On.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—Robert W. Maxwell, of Chicago, known to all followers of football as Tiny, is laid up in a local hospital following an operation upon the nose, which was necessitated through his insistence on taking part in practice games at the wind-up of the season at Swarthmore College when the Swarthmore team seemed to have struck a losing streak.

Maxwell, who has been coach at Swarthmore, got out of the hospital about five weeks ago after having had one operation performed upon his nose following the injury he received in the Penn-Swarthmore game away back in 1906, when Maxwell alone almost defeated the entire Penn team.

Two days after getting out of the hospital the last time Maxwell noticed that the Swarthmore team was not playing up to form. He immediately got into the line-up playing with the scrubs against the varsity. When he left the field he had been punched in the nose which had been operated upon several times, and he could not breathe. The authorities at the school insisted that he go back to the hospital, but he refused until after the last game of the season, which was played with Dickinson a week ago last Saturday.

Following that game Maxwell almost had to be carried to the hospital. The physicians saw that an immediate operation was necessary, and they told him to get ready.

"Well, why don't you do it?" demanded Maxwell. They got the other one ready, but he waved them aside. "No other for me; I can stand a few cuts," he remarked.

The surgeons cut away at Maxwell's nose for about thirty minutes, and then they had him carried back to his room. While there is no danger that the operation will prove fatal, they have advised Maxwell that he must take more care in the future, and not get overenthusiastic while coaching college elevens. They told him if he insisted upon getting into the game, always to protect his nose.

Hoge, of Second Class, To Lead Army Eleven

WEST POINT, Dec. 7.—The Army football team has elected Benjamin F. Hoge, cadet captain for the 1913 team over Ralph P. Butler, of Glen Ridge, N. J. Tanberg is a junior.

Elect Tandberg.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 7.—Alvin Tandberg, Chippewa Falls, Wis., fullback on the champion Wisconsin football team, yesterday was elected captain for the 1913 team over Ralph P. Butler, of Glen Ridge, N. J. Tanberg is a junior.

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OVERLOOKS KETCHAM IN CHOOSING STAR FOR CENTER PLACE

Parke Davis Prefers Benson, Lafayette Captain, and Tells Why.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 7.—The first football expert to pass by Henry Ketcham, Yale's star center, in choosing an All-America eleven is Parke Davis, Princeton's representative on the football rules committee and known as one of the best-informed football men in the country. He picks Benson, Lafayette's captain, for his team, claiming that in the Yale-Lafayette game Benson outplayed Ketcham.

"Benson has been handicapped," says Davis, "in proving his worth by not playing in the fierce onslaught of the four Ketchams, Parmenter, Blumenthal and Benson, strong on offense, blocking and opening and passing and with an exceptionally wide tackling range on defense. He was pitted against Ketcham in the fierce onslaught on October 12 and proved the more effective player."

Davis' All-America eleven follows: Ends, Bomsieiler, Yale, and Felton, Harvard; tackles, Englehorn, Dartmouth, and Phillips, Princeton; guards, Penock, Harvard, and Brown, Navy; center, Benson, Lafayette; quarterback, Fagard, Lehigh; halfbacks, Erickson, Harvard, and H. A. Baker, Princeton; fullbacks, Thorpe, Carlisle.

Lehigh May Meet Yale on Gridiron

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 7.—It is rumored in athletic circles at Lehigh College that the Brown and White has been offered a place on Yale's football schedule next year. It will likely be accepted.

Lehigh and Yale have never faced each other in football. The game, if played, will take place at New Haven, and the probable date is October 18. It is also stated that Lehigh will resume football relations with the University of Pennsylvania next year. Lehigh made such a record in the past season, so it is having no trouble in getting games with the big teams.

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